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Mr. Jesse Unruh
Speaker, California State Assembly
Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Unruh:

The proposal for an objective, bipartisan, legislative investigation of our State institutions for mentally disturbed and mentally retarded children is long overdue. The human agonies in this situation are so pressing as to command a very high priority of public concern, and I urge you to lend your own energies to the establishment of such a study of our shortcomings, needs, and opportunities in caring for these unfortunate children.

Sincerely yours,



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